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FROM: Michael Kawahara

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RE: USA v. Christie, et. al., USDC(Hawaii) Criminal Case No. 10-00384 SOM

Pursuant to the District Court's minute order entered July 19, 2010, the United States provides to all counsel the following transcripts of Mr. Christie's recorded conversations wherein he described his exchange with District Judge Mollway during the Barnes case:

-Transcript of face-to-face meeting between Christie,

undercover officer, and confidential source, 6/24/08 (46 pages). Christie's references to Judge Mollway are at pages 24 - 26.

-Transcript of intercepted telephone call between Christie and Friend, 7/23/09 at 12:17 p.m. (4 pages).

-Transcript of intercepted telephone call between Christie and Friend, 7/23/09 at 5:47 p.m. (4 pages).

The sealed hearing referenced in the above-referenced transcript occurred in the <u>Barnes</u> case on May 18, 2004. To my knowledge, the Court has not ordered this hearing to be made public. By "cc" of this letter to the Court, I am requesting that this be accomplished, such that a court reporter transcript may be expeditously ordered.

If you have any questions about the foregoing, please contact me at 440-9220.

cc: Chief U.S. District Judge Susan Oki Mollway (w/att.)

TRANSCRIPTION

Date:

06-24-08

Language:

English

Transcribed By:

Kevin Pang

Participants:

Roger CHRISTIE (hereinafter referred to as the RC)

SA Randy Wagner acting in an undercover capacity

(hereinafter referred to as the UC)

Confidential Source (hereinafter referred to as CS)

Legend:

= Brackets are used to include the transcriber/translator's remarks or interpretations.

[UI] = Unintelligible

[PH] = Phonetic rendering

Participant	Translation
	BEGINNING OF CONVERSATION
CS	Here we go, here we go man.
UC	Game face baby.
CS	Yeah, here we go.
UC	I wore blue last time, I'm wearing khaki this time.
CS	Nah, your fine, your perfect.
UC	I only got five grand, hoping I can get that pound. I heard him, I heard him mention forty five hundred to five, so I think he will be o.k. with that. He.

Participant	Translation
CS	Well, I believe with that contribution, with this work on the
E Company	greenhouse, he is gonna love that, he's going to give you, I think
	I just get one feeling on this man, he is gonna give you one
	break. He probably gonna want more.
UC	Right.
CS	Because he is greedy.
UC	Yeah, I know.
CS	But when you work, by the time it's all over don't even mention
	the pound thing it's done.
UC	Right.
CS	You know then he going, look [UI]. I bet you, he goes.
UC	So we're going to talk business first. We are not going to dove into the thing yet.
CS	That's what he is interested in man. Looking for that free-bees
	man.
UC	You see its got to be two sided street too.
CS	There you go. I totally, I saw the newspapers. Actually nothing
	for nothing.
UC	He's got to help the brother out.
CS	There you go, there you go. When you guys, I told em, when it
	comes to the business, I'm out.
UC	Yep.
CS	I don't know nothing. I just, I'll be there but I'm just silent.
UC	Yep.
CS	I just get you guys work it and I also put a lot in there. You guys
	going to do good business together you know Roger you know
TIC .	all of this, so. What do you think you?
UC	
CS	It's really exciting. Anyway you want to go man. Gosh, should I park right there?
UC CS	Anywhere.
UC	What is that? What is that? All right bro.
CS	Game face. Game face.
UC	Yep.
CS	Here we go [UI] Christie.
UC	Hold on a second. Hold on stay in the car.
	[Background noises, UI conversations]
RC	How you doing John? Have a seat.
UC	You doing ok?
	I ou doing on.

Participant	Translation
RC	Better than before man.
UC	Should I take my shoes off?
RC	First things first. We have a little ministry ritual, keep them on,
	wash up with [UI] and soap at the sink. We have paper towels
CC	here now. We have hemp soap right here and paper towels.
CS	[UI]. Cool.
UC	How is it going man? How was your trip?
RC	It was better than I expected. I saw my mom, first time in 3 years.
UC	Oh really.
RC AND UC	[UI]
UC	Eighty three.
RC	And healthier. I mean way healthier. Cause the health care level
	here is sub standard to some other places.
UC	Yeah.
RC	It was the best, we gave her the best we could find here but the it
	sucked compared to Colorado and my brothers found her a
	fantastic assisted living place so it was like a four star hotel and
	she said she is like in college.
CS	[UI]
RC	Yeah but you hardly know it. [UI, CS interrupts]. But it is really
	great. She's got a push button and everything. I was like, it was
	like "Rip Van Winkle" for me, waking up from an old dream
TIC	cause I haven't been back to Aspen since 1978.
UC	Wow. 30 years ago?
RC	Haven't been to Denver in 10 years. So, so it was cool. My brother lends me his extra Mercedes. It's a 420, it's a Mercedes
	420 so I go to a Marijuana lawyer's convention riding a
•	Mercedes 420.
UC	My god.
	[UI] [soft voices of the UC, CS, and RC heard in the
	background]
UC	Ugly day today not like it was like last time around.
CS	Well, I tell you what [UI] I'm sweating man.
UC	Yeah, exactly.
CS	Nice and cool today.
RC	So so so so things, you know I'm stoked to give you that good
	report. Things are going well here.
CS	Right on.

Participant	Translation
RC	To have police approval or at least hands off what we're doing, it's it's just so gratifying. I went to this lawyer's convention in Aspen and not that I'm a lawyer but I just kind of crashed a party. I mean, I was, I can go and I know the people and some of them may know me. Uh, it was really gratifying cause these are top marijuana lawyers in the country that are part of this group that gets together couple times a year to talk about this subject
	and I really felt like we were the leaders of the [UI] because we rarely hire lawyers.
UC	Right.
RC	I'm rarely on the phone with lawyers. Rarely do people in our Ministry get busted because they have an ID card that actually works under arrest conditions. So number one, either free the person on the spot, which is magical, or not to free them to solidify their defense. They know it's a religious defense right from the get go.
UC	Right.
RC	And every cop, no matter how hard nose he is, has a religion.
UC	Of course.
RC	They go to church on Sunday and they don't want cops in their church.
UC	Right.
RC	They all swore on oath to defend the Constitution and it's the Constitution we're claiming. So it gives this doubt in your brain and you got to win beyond a reasonable doubt.
UC	Of course.
RC	So we set that doubt up right from the get go. So it's a very powerful concept and being at the lawyer's convention not all of them knew what I was up to. I showed em [UI] and their jaws dropped man. I mean it was really gratifying.
UC	So they have never seen that before.
RC	Ah, ah [negative response].
UC	So none of the members that you had that were based out of Hawaii, they were going back to the mainland or anything?
RC	Oh yeah sure.
UC	Oh, o.k.
RC.	Oh yeah, we got, people can join the Ministry from any where in the world. We have over sixty two thousand people to [UI].
UC	Wow.

Participant	Translation
RC	Now most of those, I have never met, have never donated a
	dime. They just join for free, who knows who it is.
UC	Uh uh.
RC	But, you know, click it on your own computer from anywhere in
	the world.
UC	Right.
RC	And we give them free information to make their life better and
	let people say uh our information is for donation, you can, we
	work by donations. I'm I'm just experimenting with it. I was
	used to being the money guy. Right, I mean, it was my goal was
	to make money at every day and every week. So at some point in
	time, I changed my [UI, background conversation with RC and
	unknown female. RC introduces the female as Barbara to UC
	and CS. RC tells UC to wait a minute].
CS	[UI, speaking softly to UC]
RC	[UI]. So lets keep going. [UI] operation for a long time, caused I
	changed years ago. I just changed my reality, it was on, my move
	to Hawaii really. I asked for a change of life and I got em.
UC	Uh uh.
RC	And I didn't want to work for money any more and want to work
	for something that meant more to me. Of course I need money
	[UI]. But it wasn't my focus anymore and so I really worked
	hard to find the right job for me.
UC	Right exactly.
RC	And way to go and it s a combination of you know, who I am,
	what I was born with, my astrology, my family history, all that
	kind of stuff. (Telephone rings in background). Let me turn that
	off, and this kept coming up and I had success in the war in
	Vietnam.
UC	Right.
RC	Because I sued the Army on moral grounds and not legal
	grounds, on moral grounds, without a lawyer and I beat them at
	21 years of age, which was a really great success for a young
	guy. So I thought [UI], now the wars on us. You know, I came
	with seeds to grow herbs. I came in 1986 and immediately they
UC	were increasing the war here by spray poisoning the plants.
·	Right. And the gardens that they were growing in, I mean that's what
RC	they do in Colombia.
UC	[UI]
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Participant	Translation
RC	That's so doubly crazy, that's just insane. So I started getting
	into this war and started analyzing it and I found my job here and
	it wound up being this.
UC	God look at.
RC	I love it.
CS	Yeah.
RC	For many years I wanted to get to some place of comfort in my brain. I mean it took me 40 years or whatever but and now I'm here everyday, every second in this office. [UI] in this Ministry. I love my life because it's not necessarily to be a big, it hasn't been the goal to be a big Ministry, the goal has been to be a good Ministry.
UC	Right.
RC	A good.
UC	Quality not quantity.
RC	Exactly.
CS	Must be stepping up man.
RC	It's really nice, it's really nice.
CS	Stepping up.
RC	We get, we provide services and sacraments from the Ministry. That's what traditional Ministries do. I went to an old minister's handbook and I did my intelligence analyst thing, what does ministers do. Oh, they provide the services and the sacraments of their Ministry, so bingo you use that wording cause and it and it feels right. I was literally trained as a minister but not in cannabis. I was trained in meta-physics and [UI] science but then the people that were running it were looking for spiritual truth but yet they couldn't tell the spiritual truth on Sunday about after services their going to have a pop. And I go, [UI] that's what [UI] is about. So I joined this other church that that was all into cannabis and sacrament but they had a spirituality that I did not understand. It was like science fiction to me, they called this book Urancha [phonetic].
CS	No, they changed the whole thing around.
RC	And I feel good. I like your herb thing but I can't, my brain just cannot accept your spirituality. I like the spirituality where I came from and I like the herb over here, so I put them together and started this.
CS	There you go.

Participant	Translation
RC	That's eight years going and uh this September its eight years for the Ministry. I've been in this office for over four years now. I only had cops come here twice. Once I called them and that was so cool because some guy was being [UI] and I had to have him thrown out and the guy was screaming and I don't know if I told you this story but I think it will help you understand how the cops feel about it, cause it's hard to know.
UC	Yeah.
RC	Telling the truth about you know what they feel about it. Um, so five cops were here including the sergeant was throwing this guy out who was screaming, who got upset with me for some reason and he is screaming "hey arrest Christie, he is selling marijuana." Well, Bully the sergeant is overseeing his four patrolmen helps the guy down the stairs while he is screaming at the top of his lungs "arrest Christie, arrest Christie" and Bully is right next to me.
UC	Bully.
RC	Bully.
UC	That's his name?
RC	Oh yeah.
UC	Sounds like a nickname.
	[UI] UC and RC talks simultaneously.
RC	I'm sure he earned it.
UC	That's funny
RC	He is a tough looking nut man. So, Bully the sergeant is this close to me at the top of the stairs watching the action and he turns to me and he is talking to the guy but he is looking at me and he goes "Hey, don't worry about it, it's a Ministry."
UC	Oh god.
RC	And he looks at me, and I thought uh that's cool. That's one way of mentioning it, you know. Then the second time, uh I was distributing some free-bees, free bags to people and some of em and one of em I guess opened the bag on the sidewalk in front of the Chamber of Commerce and [UI].
UC	That's just asking for trouble.

Participant	Translation
RC	So, yeah. So, you know not everybody is thinking right and I'm
	trying to help people and I got to be more discerning as to who
	I'm helping and and five cops right at the door "knock, knock,
	knock" and I had the grow lights on and I had harvestable buds
	in the room. I opened the door and there's five cops looking at
	me at one time. Whew. And I, I thought, hey I just saw this
	movie about how to answer the door to the police the right way
	and the wrong way and that movie flashed through my brain man
	in one milli-second and so I backed the cops up. I said excuse me and I backed them up and I shut the door. Five cops, whew, they
	went right back you know [UI]. I thought, that's cool. The
	movie works, you know what I mean.
UC	Wow.
RC	So I, I broke their visuals from.
UC	Were they like patrol officers.
	[UI] UC and RC talks simultaneously.
RC	Three big, three big take down guys with a badge on their belts.
UC	Like plain clothes, yeah.
RC	In plain clothes and two in uniform, local guys in uniform, and I
	said "What's up" and they said we have an official formal
	complaint about your Ministry. Formal complaint, that's the first
	one in eight years.
UC	Uh uh.
RC	What's the formal complaint. They said well we got a call from a
	shopkeeper downstairs that you're distributing marijuana and one of your guys opened a baggy in front of their window and
	was sharing some with a friend, who was waiting for em down
	here and they called 911 and I said oh. I said, I said I can picture
	what happened, I know that was just two hours ago. I said I did
	that. I accept your complaint one hundred percent. I did that. I
	remember, I think gees you know, some of these guys just don't
	have best of manners and I can change my formula, my methods
•	so that it never happens again and I will change my formula so
	that it never happens again. Is there anything else that brought
	you here?
UC	Uh uh.
RC	And he said no. You keep it private, you're good to go.
UC	Right.
RC	Handshake, aloha, see you [UI]. So if it was one cop, I would get
	that same message.

Participant	Translation
UC	Right.
RC	I would've thought nice guy.
UC	Yeah.
RC	He cut me a break, he saw.
CS	Wow, mahalos.
RC	He saw but when it's five, it's a policy.
UC	Yeah.
RC	There is a policy of hands off here.
UC	Good.
RC	Bully told me and that guy told me.
UC	Good.
RC	So and its been cool, its been great and the prosecutor called me last week.
UC	The prosecutor?
RC	Interesting call. You guys have time?
UC	I'm o.k.
RC	Good. So I get a call ring ring, its.
UC	Is this time good for you like in the mornings like this. Yeah the
	last time I told him like it was [UI], that was Grand Central
	Station.
	[UI] UC and RC talks simultaneously.
UC	I can't, I can't talk business when I got people coming in and
D.C.	out.
RC	I got to bar the door, which I did.
UC	I mean, is that o.k., is that cool. O.k.
RC	Because I don't open till noon.
UC	O.k. o.k.
RC	So yeah, I get I get a call from the Assistant Prosecutor Mitch
	Roth [PH]. Boom, I answer the phone [UI]. I don't know if you know Mitch Roth yet, he's he's a prosecutor that handles a lot of
	drug cases and all the forfeitures that people [UI]. So he calls up
	and says, hey Rog, um um this is Mitch from the Prosecutors
	Office, I'm sitting here training a new prosecutor, Donna. She is
	learning to be a prosecutor and she, were talking about
	marijuana cases and she says you know there is a THC Ministry
	banner in downtown D-Row [PH] and she sees us on TV news
	and I don't know if you saw that last month. We got, we were on
	Fox news.

Participant	Translation
UC	I was looking for, what did what did you tell me you were on, oh
	Fox. I pulled up Fox but I couldn't find anything.
RC	I pulled up Fox and it's not on their thing.
	[UI] UC and RC talks simultaneously
RC	We put it on our website.
UC	O.k.
RC	And then I just put it. I, I hope the guy is making a new spot, my web guy.
UC	Yeah, cause when I got back and when to Fox, I didn't see anything.
RC	Right. Check out uh Fox news in Boise, Idaho.
UC	Boise, Idaho.
RC	Boise, Idaho.
UC	O.k. I'll remember Boise.
RC	Um and also Joe Born [PH] in Honolulu, the number one guy, we led the five o'clock news, the six o'clock news, the ten o'clock news, the seven a.m., and the eight a.m. news that next day because of the Boise thing. Anyway Mitch Roth calls and he says [UI] of prosecutors and she is questioning him and he says "You know, hey I know Roger at the Ministry. Lets give him a call."
UC	Uh uh.
RC	So, he said "Hey do you mind if we ask you couple of questions and tell Donna what's going on with to the Ministry so she has a better understanding." So that's fucking cool.
UC	Uh uh. [UC laughs]
RC	Put me on speaker phone.
UC	Really.
RC	Bingo. Yeah. So we rolled for about ten minutes now on the phone here. It was so cool, it was so gratifying.
UC	Did they ever come up here or anything?
RC	No and I invited em. I said hey, we got an open door policy, just call us. You know you can see what's going on. We got a great library. We got a righteous activity, we're protected by the Constitution and, and uh and the Bill of Rights and my license and come on down.
UC	Right.

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RC During prohibition. So I'm telling them	
the phone and their going "Uh uh, wow	[UI]." Anyway, it was it
was really sweet. Its small town.	
UC Yeah.	
RC And obviously this is, this is	
[UI] UC and RC talks simultaneously	
This gets noticed. It's a tourist attraction	
when they come by here, I see em. The	
and the bus driver on the mike. They go	pointing up here and
flash bulbs go off [laughing].	
UC That's funny. I mean, hey look at this.	
RC It rocks and this is the Moses building.	
of Moses not only we be doing the cann	
not a bible guy. Trust me on that. I'm a	
checking out the bible and I'm coming t	
the stories in here that line up with what	-
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who have brought it back, not the Pope,	
So this is a story in Cannabis Culture M	
UC O.k. cool.	<u> </u>
RC And this is what they talked about holy	anointing oil.
UC [UI] oil, yeah.	
RC And so this is what they say about the N	linistry here.
CS Wow, lot of things going on yeah.	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
UC That's great. You're all over the place n	nan.

Participant	Translation
RC	It's happening, so I'm loving that plus the holy oil. It's not just
	about getting high, it really is a sacrament. It really is for sincere
	people that that want to. Read the bible, there is a hundred, I
	think sixty times in the bible. It says anoint your head with oil.
	It's a big deal in the old days. They didn't have hospitals, they
	didn't have doctors.
UC	You just said it. You said the two words, old days. People and
	paladins, you know what I'm saying [CS in the background
	agreeing]. They get stuck in something and and they're locked in
	that for the rest of their lives. You know.
RC	So so, we the Ministry and I'm willing because I think it's just
	it's coolest game on earth to play, man I'm having a ball here
	everyday because it's like what day is "60 Minutes" gonna come
	calling, what day is [laughing in the background] you know
****	"New York Times" gonna drive by.
UC	I saw, I saw that guy in Canada, can't remember the guys name.
RC	Mark Canber [PH].
UC	Maybe that's what it was. I don't know but he had a huge seed
	bank or something and was distributing seeds and I think our
	Government was trying to looking to arrest em or something like
D.C.	that so.
RC	[UI]
UC	You know that guy?
RC	Yeah I do. He just sent me, as a matter that seed catalog. He
TIC	signed it for me cause it was, it's a keeper before he goes to jail.
UC	Oh oh, they got em.
RC	Oh they did I they abt he was fighting sytrodition
UC	Oh they did. I thought he was fighting extradition.
CS	[UI]
RC	He lost. He lost.
CS	He did.
UC CS	[UI]
RC	Fifteen million.
CS	[UI], oh no kidding.
UC PC	Hell, this was just couple of months ago.
RC	Yeah, before he went to jail he sent me a signed copy, he said
TIC	hey this is a keeper Rog, so.
UC	Uh. How long.

Participant	Translation
RC	This is a thank you for what I'm doing.
UC	Yeah, how long is he in for?
RC	Last I heard his plea bargain was five years and they just, the
	Government just set the plea bargains off. He's gotta gotta face
	twenty.
UC	Wow.
RC	In the U.S.
UC	Oh o.k. Yeah so Canada can't help him out at all, do they.
RC	Canada caved.
UC	Huh, usually Canada is pretty good about stuff like that.
CS	Really?
UC	Yeah.
RC	Yeah, they protect their own, their sovereignties and big [UI] like all that. DEA wanted him bad and uh and I truly [UI]. He's
1	super high profile and I'm into meta-physics and meta-physics
	means I'm responsible, so in meta-physics he's responsible and I
	can picture. I've spoken to the guy but I haven't met him face to
	face to face but I can picture he want some high profile case and
i	now his got one.
UC	Right.
RC	And so part of human condition is we have positive thoughts and
	negative thoughts and lots of em going off all the time. We got
	super computers in our brains. So, the theory in the secret will be
	the secret and have you seen that, the law of attraction?
UC	No.
RC	O.k. I'm going to get you that. Have you seen that yet?
CS	No. No.
RC	Let me get you guys right now. In the secret, it's so brilliant
	because it shows how we attract what we attract in life.
UC	The secret.
RC	The secret.
UC	Is it like a documentary or.
RC	Yes.
UC	Oh o.k.
RC	But it's a true story.
UC	O.k.
RC	It's it's fascinating, really great. It shows you how you attract
	what you attract. Health, wealth, friends, job, all that stuff. Um,
	it's the law of attraction, it's like the law of gravity. It's the law.

Participant	Translation
CS	Uh uh.
RC	It's not a random.
UC	It's not it's who you're hanging out with and stuff like that.
CS	That's right.
RC	It matters. So, the theory in a nut shell is, if our fears and our worries mean harvest is going to come and get all my plants, oh [UI]. If our fears are bigger than our goals, oh I'm going to harvest and then you know, if our fears are bigger than our goals, our fears come true. If our goals are bigger than our fears, our goals come true.
UC	Right, no doubt.
	[UI] CS and RC talks simultaneously.
RC	So this is what's so important in here and you know our feelings. That there, so the movie shows you how to recalibrate your inner navigation system. So that, the negative thoughts you cross off, you dismiss them and you increase the positive thoughts. It's so brilliant but now it's available to everybody. It used to be just a secret.
CS	Oh really.
	[UI] CS and RC talks simultaneously.
RC	So yeah, so this is for you guys. So that's why the Ministry were not just about herbs.
UC	Right.
RC	We're about real life saving cannabis, real spiritualality[PH]. That's why in back of our card we got the blessing for everybody.
UC	I got those.
CS	All I know is this [UI] UC, RC, and CS talks simultaneously and loud background noise.
UC	I'm going to hit the head, I'm going to hit the head Robby o.k. [UC leaves the room].
CS	You know, so he's realizing, he wants to do some work with you. [UI]
RC	And one time it worked in federal court, the only time it was tested. It worked in federal court.
***	[UI] CS and RC talks simultaneously and speaks unclearly.
RC	Anybody that got troubles orit's for everybody but especially.
CS	What info man.

Participant	Translation
RC	Yeah, the intelligence analyst man. It really was a good thing the
	Army did to me.
CS	Yeah, I guess man.
RC	You just, I'm on it.
CS	Oh yeah.
RC	Plus, I use cannabis root with my herb. Did I ever give you cannabis root to smoke with, with your herb. Not yet.
CS	Never heard of a such a thing.
RC	[UI].
RC	Calamus [PH] root.
CS	What is calamus?
CS	[UI]. CS and RC talks simultaneously.
RC	But it's not, it's its own thing.
CS	You're kidding me.
CS	[UC returns].
RC	Did you lock that door?
UC	Yeah, I did.
RC	Um, this is calamus root.
CS	[UI] root.
RC	Yeah, looks like it but its not. It's calamus, it's really special
RC	thing and I smoke it with the ganja [PH] for higher IQ.
UC	Oh really.
RC	And mental clarity and I want you guys to have it. I give it, I'm, I'm giving it out to people in the ministry.
CS	And then what about this [UI] that you said with all that, that uh
	uh crystals that you freeze the bugs and they shake it.
RC	Oh right.
CS	It block, it didn't come in or anything [UI] remember when you called me and you told me you had a [UI].
RC	Right, right.
CS	You know. How is that thing?
RC	It's delicious man.
CS	Yeah.
RC	You see buds growing and you see em shining in the light here.
	It's just crystal. It's really delicious.
RC	Cause we have, I buy herb off the black market which I don't
	like to do but I have to at this point in time, so it's good as I can
	get right at the moment here because I'm not growing. I don't
	have grow seeds.

Participant	Translation
UC	How come, how come you don't? I thought you would have
	several grows like a grow op or something.
RC	Well, yeah, its just.
UC	We can, we can, that's one thing, you know we can talk about.
CS	That's what he wants.
RC	That would complete the loop and I told the prosecutor. You know, I said hey, you know our next thing, well not next thing but you know it's in our prayers to complete the loop here and be able to have a greenhouse chapel where we provide the herb for the Ministry. I told em, it's coming. We'll grow for a thousand people or you know however many we can.
UC	Right.
RC	Because have the license, we have the ordainment, we have everything. I can tell that right to the prosecutor and he [UI] man as well he should and so right now I purchase it off the black market. I only have x-amount of time, x-amount of money, x-amount of skill.
UC	Right.
RC	You know what I mean, and so I, I thought well, there are a lot of people who know how to grow it but nobody knows how to do what I do.
UC	Oh, that's true, so you don't think you're a good grower?
RC	I've had couple of nice harvest when I've had the time to do it.
UC	Right, exactly.
RC	I mean in here, it's pretty busy these days.
UC	But how is that, how would that work too. I mean, are you indoor or outdoor or what?
RC	It would be indoor.
UC	Oh, ok.
RC	And I would show you, um how it goes because last night I had one of the people over for dinner last night was the top PHD from the Netherlands.
UC	Oh really.
RC	Yep, from Amsterdam.
UC	I meant to ask you that too cause a long time ago when I got on your website when Steven told me to check out you on the web, there was something that came up on Amsterdam too. Thank you.
RC	Yes, yes.

Participant	Translation
UC	So, I don't know if that, is that.
RC	We have a website in Amsterdam.
UC	Ok.
RC	A guy over there, a Dutch guy said, hey can I do some THC
	ministry stuff, put up a website, you know get the European
	things.
UC	Ok, got you.
RC	And he did.
UC	He is not affiliated here or anything?
RC	You know we had a little falling out and because we're long
	distance, we've never met so it's a little hard to patch it up.
UC	Yeah.
RC	Um, I just, just have it worked out that I get over there and be
	with him and whatever so and anyway he's got the website.
UC	Oh no, I was just wondering if that was a rip off of what you're
	accomplishing and things like that.
RC	He fortunately, his still, his got our logo so, he gives credit
	where it came from.
UC	Right.
RC	Thank, thank goodness. His got to.
UC	His got to cause you can sue the hell out of him. I mean you have
	a patent for this right?
RC	Well I have a trademark.
UC	Ok.
RC	And so I am registered with the Department of Commerce and
_	Consumer Affairs.
UC	That's right.
	[UI] UC, RC, and CS talks simultaneously.
CS	You're going to let me.
RC	Oh yeah, so I want you each to have calamus root. What you do
	is, you put a pinch. You read the label, so you have John read the
	label.
CS	
RC	A [UI] turned me to very brilliant Christian guy from France.
UC	I heard of calamus root, I don't know where.
CS	I've never did.

Participant	Translation
RC	Well sometimes in the bible they mention it, calamus root. But
	it's it's very often got a negative, uh reputation. I don't know
	why, I've never, I put just a little sprinkle of this and smoke it
	with the ganja and I get clarity.
CS	Oh yeah.
RC	I tried this since 1992, I almost everyday. Almost hundred
	percent of the time and so I hey package it up and spread it
	around and get a little bit more brain power to the people in the
	Ministry.
CS	Where is the root from?
RC	India.
UC AND RC	India?
RC	Yeah. There is a famous doctor, he's on TV a lot that Depock
	Chopra [PH] from India. He's on Oprah and stuff like that and
	uh a friend of mine smoked pot with him over in California and
	he puts calamus root on it. He's a smart dude now.
UC	Is that a problem going through airlines or anything like that?
RC	No, that's totally legal, one hundred percent.
UC	I'm not worried about that cause I've got transportation for so,
	for this, so I don't think
	[UI] UC and CS talks simultaneously.
RC	It's, it's very uh it's a healthy thing. You can also take it with a
	little bit of honey and sprinkle that on in the morning and the
	evening for memory enhancement and I don't know it feels
	working for me.
UC	Huh, like a ginseng or.
	[UI] UC and RC talks simultaneously
RC	It's, it's a under utilized, almost nobody uses it that I know of
	and almost nobody knows about it but a couple of really smart
	Krishna people, and I swear by that stuff. I really do, I love it.
UC	Can't sprinkle it in a shake?
CS	Yeah.
D.C.	[UI] RC, CS, and UC talks simultaneously.
RC .	If you make a tea out of it, it makes you throw up.
UC	Oh, ok.
CS	Oh, really.
RC	Yeah, cause it has very good use. You swallow poison and you
	got to get it out, calamus root in the tea and up she goes. So, I
	don't know, google search it.

Participant	Translation
UC	Yeah.
RC	See what you find before you try it. Um.
UC	No, I trust you.
	[UI] RC, CS, and UC talks simultaneously
RC	Sprinkle, not a whole joint of it. Just sprinkle. So what a great place. What a great, everyday I'm in this place where I feel like I gotten to the top of the mountain and I'm looking around going yeah this is this is rocking and if I can help somebody today, that's great. Um.
UC	What about the Virgin Islands? Did you go? Did you end up going?
RC	I didn't go. I didn't have the money to go.
UC	Oh, ok.
RC	I would, the Senator invited me and stuff and it you know.
UC	Did you've been over there?
RC	I have not.
UC	I've never been there.
RC	But we're talking about the growing seeds so I want to show you. So I had the guy over last night, and this guy is like a diplomat in the Netherlands and he's able to travel with herbs for research. Young guy too. He's a PHD and he's hooked into people in Amsterdam, there growing for the government for medicine. And I knew some of them, some of them have been in this room, so it was really nice to have dinner with the guy last night. So, one of, this is the only, this is a little bit separate subject here but, this is the only company in the world called GW Pharmaceuticals that has forty thousand plants under lights.
UC	Wow, where in Amsterdam?
RC	In the UK, in England.
CS	In England?
RC	Yep. So they do whole plant cannabis, prescription medicines from cannabis. They do non smoked ones. Cause they do.
CS	[UI]
RC	There's a private company. Beyer aspirin gave em hundred fifty million dollars last year.
UC	Beyer?

Participant	Translation
RC	For a little piece of their operation, cause they know its coming
	like a big dog man. Marijuana replaces about one third at least of
	all pharmaceuticals. So, that's why they're trying to keep it from
	happening. So there is their greenhouse.
CS	Talk about [UI], wow.
RC	So, they are on the stock exchange in England.
UC	Really.
RC	Yeah.
UC	Wow.
RC	They have a.
UC	I should invest in that.
RC	They have a spread but I'll tell you what, not.
UC	Really.
RC	I mean, do it for fun.
UC	Yeah.
RC	You know throw a grand in there.
UC	Yeah.
RC	But I'll tell you.
UC	You never know maybe they will be next Home Depot or
	something you know.
RC	The guy that was at dinner at my house last night has been in
	there and I know some of the guys that put this together. They're
	old time friends of mine from back in the day and uh, they're
	not, they're better ways to go.
UC	Uh.
RC	They're better ways to go.
UC	Ok.
RC	His friends went in there and shook some of the plants. He said
	bugs flew off.
UC	Oh really.
RC	He said they they they they missed something. They're
	missing something. Part of it is the guy who owns the company
	does not use cannabis. Jeffery Guy [PH] who owns the place. So
	he doesn't have a feeling for the plant and love for it that we do.
CS	There you go, there you go.

Participant	Translation
RC	It's little more the money and the laboratory thing and when [UI] last night over for dinner, he was he was in there he said I don't know something's not working where the company does it in Netherlands, in Amsterdam. They got it down. So he gave me the coordinates, the Dutch website, I was on it last night. He got the company that that got the grow lights. I know the grow lights that they buy, I know the lock wool that they [UI]. He basically told me a formula how to have the killer diller [PH] grow set up. They've experimented in Amsterdam for so long, they finally have it down.
CS	But you know here it's the thing, uh it's Hawaii ok. [UI] we get [UI] so we can, in another word, the electricity just to get that going. [UI] wouldn't the green house be better because of the sun and the tropics that we have here?
RC	A greenhouse is going to be part of it because its nature and it's not buying electricity. However, providing the standardized cannabis medicine for the medical patients and for the ministry, I think it should come out. The guy convinced me last night. He convinced me. They have tried it every which way. They had two companies. They had the green house and they had the indoor and they have been doing it for ten years to try to do the medicine for the Netherlands and the greenhouse guy he's out now.
CS	Oh really.
RC	It was so suns out, it is just different everyday. I mean, you get something that's decent but it's not, we're talking primo medicine here.
CS	Well, we with Hawaii, it's persistent because of, it's always you know [UI].
RC	So that part, I mean I love, and I'm even thinking it's not just the sun, it's the moon. It's maybe the star light that helps the plants. Who knows what they get at night. You know what I mean. [UI] CS and RC talks simultaneously.
RC	But he said, what he told me, he really convinced me last night. He said trust me, we've tried it every which way and to get standard medicine. When somebody opens that medicine thing and it's buds from the from the Amsterdam, they want the same medicine they got six months ago.
UC	Oh wow.
RC	They want the same.

Participant	Translation
	[UI] RC and UC talks simultaneously.
UC	That's almost impossible.
RC	No they got it.
UC	Really.
RC	They got it down.
UC	Wow.
CS	Cool, they got this shit together uh.
RC	They got it down and they've been trying it for a long time, so he convinced me and I looked up the websites he gave me last night and it's.
CS	I got a, I got a question for you.
RC	But I want a greenhouse also as a visitor center and you know.
UC	Yeah, cause I mean that's, when we talked, when I talked to you last time, we talked you mentioned about a greenhouse and you know I'm a business man. You know I want to help you out but I got to you know take my interest and I've got to have some insurance and I've got to know what I'm getting into and I've got to get something in return also. I'm not, I'm not greedy Rog. You know, he knows me. I'm not greedy, I'm willing to help you out but what is it you want to do, you know. Now your, I mean, like I said you said your not interested in the greenhouse now but.
RC	Well, I am interested in the greenhouse but as as like Hawaii is kind of a natural greenhouse.
UC	Of course.
RC	Growing out doors is an important part of it and that's that's an important part of the situation. But I don't think to have all the medicine and all the sacrament that major part of it I think should come from [UI]. It's standardized you know, you don't, you're not going to get the different pluses and minuses. So part of its got a be in a temperature controlled.
CS	Yeah.
RC	I think.
UC	Like a warehouse?
RC	Yeah.
UC	Well, I mean that's.
CS	That's ventilation, sucking [UI].
RC	Which does, you know doesn't necessarily, it didn't appeal to me, it didn't appeal to me. I resisted this.

Participant	Translation
	[UI] UC, CS, and RC talks simultaneously.
RC	And I'm, I'm gonna have that someday, my own little patch or. I think the ministry should have a visitor center. I really do. I think it should have a greenhouse. But the State is been looking for a
	way, I don't know if I showed you this before, the State has been looking for a way to have a distribution system of medical marijuana.
UC	For medical.
RC	And I'm, I'm the only guy with a license that can do that. They haven't answered their own question. We can answer it, we can answer it.
UC	But the Ministry is not associated with medical marijuana, right?
RC	Yeah, yes it is in that, I mean I don't have medical marijuana but I help medical patients everyday.
UC	Ok gotcha, gotcha.
RC	And so they need more help.
UC	Right.
RC	Because there's not enough herb and it's not cheap enough for them.
UC	California is going through some stuff right now, aren't they? They're getting popped at bunch of dispensaries or something like that.
RC	Yeah, yeah, you think.
UC	I saw that on, where did I see that on. I saw that on FOX. I thought maybe that's what you're talking about but.
RC	Yeah, you think their dispensaries were safe from the Feds but they're not.
UC	No.
RC	And, and I think ours would be. Ours is. Ours is because I've already sued them. I've already been there. I've already been approved in federal court. You know that.
UC	No, I didn't.
RC	Yeah. I've already been approved in federal court.
UC	Oh really.

Participant	Translation
RC	Yes. Not just State court even though I have State license and all
	that, it's already been approved in federal court. I was there, I
	was a witness to somebody else's grow house case. He was
	facing forty to life in Hawaiian acres. And he called me in as a
	witness to see if I could help him, you know keep him out of jail.
	And so, um my license became an object of the prosecution.
UC	Ok. Gotcha.
RC	How legitimate is this guy. Well lets bring the guy that signed the license on the witness stand and is it, you know did you sign, is this your signature or.
UC	You actually got on the stand in federal court?
RC	He did.
UC	He did.
RC	Yeah, I didn't.
UC	This chair is [UI].
RC	It's about to kill through.
UC	I'm little heavier than you are.
	[UI] UC and RC talks simultaneously.
RC	Its got a weak spot, that's hemp cloth.
CS	Oh really.
RC	Yeah, yeah its got a little weak spot I guess there.
CS	No problem.
RC	So, in this federal case it was an amazing day for me cause I was
	just really pumped to testify for this guy, and not that even I
	hardly new em. I was just pumped to testify for the plant and for
	the ministry. And he was the Johnny come lately and uh you
	know wasn't really a part of the ministry until he got caught and
	anyway I wanted to help the guy. Nobody should go to jail for
	forty years for gardening, you know for the plant that we love.
	So, um I got on the witness stand and it was an amazing moment for me because the judge, it was a woman judge, a
	Federal judge, Susan Mollway she's still on the bench. She said,
	Mr. Christie do you have a lawyer here? I said your honor I don't
	have a lawyer and I don't need a lawyer. She said Mr. Christie
	you need a lawyer. I said your honor I don't need a lawyer, I'm
	in my power, I feel great.
UC	You don't need a lawyer because you're not charged with
	anything.

Participant	Translation
RC	Right, but she said Mr. Christie you need a lawyer. I'm going, what the heck, I don't need a lawyer. She says ok, well I'm closing the court right now. Bailiffs give the usher everybody out of the court and guard the door. It's just the judge and me in the room. She takes off her robe, sits in the chair. Mr. Christie have a seat. It's me and her, like this and she is in her civilian thing now, with her dress. Says Mr. Christie, I know who you are. I'm a Federal Judge. I don't have that many cases. I'm not busy like State court. I know, I know what's going on in my courtroom. I have plenty of time to investigate the case in front of me. I know who you are. I've been in your website. I know what you're up to. She says keep doing it.
UC	Really.
RC	Keep going.
UC	Wow.
RC	No blow back on you. She said I know you're suing the head of the DEA. I know you're suing the Attorney General, my boss of the United States. I know you're suing Ed Kubo, the Federal Prosecutor. Keep doing it. No blow back on you.
UC	Wow.
RC	Fantastic. Keep doing your Ministry. She says testify today under oath to what your gonna, I know what you're gonna testify to and what they're gonna ask you. You will be so screwed, she didn't say that. She said the DEA will be in your computer, in your home, and in your life. They will take you off the street and move you every five days so your lawyer can't even find you.
CS	Wow.
RC	They will put you on the federal jail airline and move you so like a piece on a chess board man.
UC	She told you all that?
RC	She told me that and then she said, she said you decide whatever you want to decide. I mean eyeball, eyeball this close man. I mean it was astounding. And then she said ok, we're complete, you know boom.
UC	No say I'm out of here.

Participant	Translation
RC	She put her robe back on again. She opened the court, I go back on the witness stand. She goes Mr. Christie will you testify in this court matter before you and I said your honor under advice of legal counsel and my higher power, I respectfully declined to testify. I couldn't even believe I was doing this cause I was so there to help this guy. She, she was the third lawyer that day that told me not to testify. She just happened to be the judge but she was also a lawyer.
UC	[UI]
RC	The defendant's lawyer.
UC	Oh, ok.
RC	The defendant's lawyer who wanted me to testify but he said you can't tell the truth. You can't tell the whole truth. I'm here to tell the whole truth, are you kidding me, that's what I do. He said oh you better not do that and I thought what's he telling me that for. He's giving me a signal that I'm in risky territory here. And then another lawyer in the hallway said you kidding me, you're going to testify, are you out of your brain, and then the judge. So it's the third one. So I said God is giving me a message here. And when, when I sat in the audience and watched the defendant testify, I am so glad I didn't testify.
UC	Was that the case you were talking about, that the DEA guy whatever you saw him and.
RC	Yes.
	[UI]
RC	Oh yeah, yeah the guy will be free any time now. He finally plea bargained for five. He should be out any time and uh but I'm so glad. He wanted, he wanted me to tell the truth so he could lie. And so, so he could skate. He was facing forty to life, now that's a lot of pressure.
UC	Hell yeah.
RC	But, man that judge was so good to me. I've never heard of that ever happening.
UC	I've never heard of that. That's awesome.
RC	Oh. It was so cool.
	[UI] UC, CS, and RC talks simultaneously.
RC	We are doing the righteous thing. It's not a rinkywink [Phonetic] deal so I can have a Porsche.

Participant	Translation
UC	As long as you, as long as you keep quiet much to yourself like you said. Like you said don't bring attention to yourself. [UI]. And people come to your aid stuff like that. Cops, judge.
RC	The prosecutor calling me up and putting me on a speaker phone. Oh my god it's cool man. I love my position.
UC	That's what I'm saying, I like to do business with this guy.
CS	Yeah, I know, I know.
RC	So when the community hears that we're going to have a greenhouse grow thing and it could be a warehouse next to a greenhouse. I mean we should have both, the greenhouse for you know the visuals, just the old fashion way to do it.
UC	God, now that green harvest isn't going on either, I mean.
RC	Seventy five percent but they may switch to something else. These guys are tricky as could be. Ok, so I don't trust that it's going to be totally over yet. You know it's kind of like Frankenstein man.
CS	You got to whack em all that.
RC	Unless you put that stake in the heart man, he's going to come out of the grave one more time. You know what I mean.
UC	The reason why the bolts inside his head and he's still walking around. That's funny. I like that.
UC	You got to put this fucker down man. Just all the way down. But when they hear, see they've been in search of a way to get medicine to people and if they know it's coming from one guy that they trust. They're going to go fuck ya.
UC	Right.
RC	It's coming through the Ministry. Hey you want to come and visit, hey come on in. DEA take a tour, we don't care we got a [UI]. It's not a winkywink [Phonetic], hippydippy [Phonetic] thing. It's just not. It's real, it's a real deal, so.
CS	Amazing.
RC	You know this is, this is years ago, 2004. They never found a way. They never found a way. I mean in a way they're waiting for us.
UC	They are waiting for somebody, some genius to step up, and here's what we're going to do.

Participant	Translation
RC	That's legitimate if it comes through the THC Ministry. There gonna, most of em is going to go whew [PH], we know that guy you know. That's a good place to go. So, I'm sure they're wondering hey where is the fucking greenhouse. What, what's taking you so long. You know what I mean. I don't know. Well I got some blessings and some I don't. You know what I mean. I couldn't even, well anyway some things that I can afford and some things I can't. I'm, I'm really pretty humble guy. I only got couple of grand to my name. Everyday I help people out and that's what makes me feel good. And so when the DEA surveils me, how much money I got, how much cash, how much stash. They're adrenalin junkies man. They want the big, um they love to rob people. When they surveil me, they have nothing to steal. So they go shit, we got to get our juice from somebody else that's hiding cukorans [PH] under the couch or something, you know what I mean. That's what they're looking for, you know. And I don't have that and they know that, so.
CS	But that's why, it's interesting that they're looking at you know.
UC	He meant, what's this, what about next door you mentioned that.
RC	You know, I tell you, this is the Moses building. Moses building is for sale, ok. I love to stay here in the Moses building. It's like, downstairs I like that to be our museum. Marijuana museum. Down the block they got the Tsunami museum. We get seven bucks a head. They run hundreds of people through there everyday. Kaching, kaching, kaching [Phonetic]. So, I don't know. It's just, we're dreaming but you know, I'm on month to month here. If somebody can buy this building, then I'm out. Thirty days notice, I got to find a new place. So we're, we're the home of holy anointing oil which is so precious to Christianity. The word Christian means anointed. It does not mean believer, it does not mean follower of Jesus. It means an anointed one and you know I don't know if I told you, most of them are getting anointed with Crisco oil. They don't even know yet. So everyday I wake up and come to work, I'm thinking what if today is the day.
UC	Yeah.

Participant	Translation
RC	Is Sixty Minutes coming today? Is the Pope coming today? You know what I mean and [UI] is bringing it back, not them. People are hungry for it, they're hungry for spirituality, they're hungry for that they read in the Bible. God bless them man, they look in there for goodness, they look in there for a way to have a happier life and it says get anointed and then they go to church and get that crap on there. I mean and everybody is sincere, everybody is doing the best we can and I don't mean to be a know it all about this. I'm a late comer to Christianity but its got some beautiful stuff going for them and I would love to add in the Bible where it says fragrant cane, and take that out and put cannabis in that Bible and print the Bible with that in there. Whoo [Phonetic], that [UI]. Cause even prophecies on the last page of the Bible, the Tree of Life will heal all nations.
UC	Right.
RC	And Christians tell me well its got to be Jesus, it's Tree of Life. I said excuse me. It can't be Jesus that's the Tree of Life, because Jesus is been legal for two thousand years and he hasn't healed the nations. But something is missing from this whole formula.
CS	Jesus is Jesus in the tree is the tree
RC	Thank you. And that tree [CS says and God is God simultaneously] gotta come back. And then as you know, like there, I'm older than you but back in Vietnam days, man like people smoke pot [UI] like me. Something happened and you get peaceful and you get more loving. I love to see that back on the home planet again. That's the Tree of Life coming back, the Bible even prophecies that. So we're, not only do we have the license, we can help medical people, have a distribution system that the State will appreciate. It's even the biblical thing and we're in the Moses building, the historic Moses building to do the job. It's so, it's like a movie.
UC	I already [UI].
RC	And my name is Christie.
UC	Yeah.
RC	Which means anointed example. Christ i.e. that's my name.
UC	I didn't think about that [UI] CS, UC, and RC talks simultaneously.
UC	First name can be whatever but your last name is born into so you have no control of that. Unbelievable.

Participant	Translation
RC	That's pretty cool. So, it's and and as I say when the cops look at it, it was funny I had a funny time. I had, I was cause I make, I play offensive with law enforcement. That's that's my success when I play it. Like I play offensive with the Army and when I want I play offense with the vice squad. And uh, I went up to the university to ask whose their the uh, the uh religion professor and I want to get him teach ministry in my [UI] and tell him what we're doing and stuff. And he said hey it's interesting that you're here. He says the cops were here last week asking the same questions. It's kind of like being on a trail of a treasure and there is another treasure. [UI] CS, UC, and RC talks simultaneously. Like Indiana Jones or something [UI] CS and RC talks simultaneously. I know I'm on the right trail here. The trail is warm and is a good one. Cause I've seen these guys come into Catholic church and you know the vice squad. Henry Tavares [PH] and different ones, they go to the same church so they're getting their spirituality and they hear Jesus all day long but as they check out our Ministry they see that we're on this trail that is so real. Cause we can really anoint people with the holy oil. It's not just a prayer, it's the real stuff. You know, it's not. Once you know what Crisco is versus holy oil, you ain't gonna go with Crisco anymore. So it's a nice thing. Now I've had business associations in the past ok, and I'm a I'm a little [UI] guy. I mean I'll just tell you the truth of how it's going. I like my flow. I really like my flow. Now I'm making more than I have in the past doing the righteous thing. I mean, I used to make more. I had a new Porsche back in the day.
UC	Really?

Participant	Translation
RC	I made money with that. Oh yeah. I had fun. I've been to country club to dinner. I've had you know, I had some some nice money times way back when money was my purpose. Now, um my purpose is my purpose you know what I mean. It's a different thing and it took a lot of years of struggle. I failed about for eighteen years in some ways you know not delivering the goods and not having enough money to get by and stuff and really [UI] by. Now it's starting to flow, feel it coming. It's really nice now. And uh, I've had a money partner before and the first two years were spectacular. We had a past and then we had a disagreement and then turned ugly to the bone man. We had, we didn't design in a back door. We didn't design in a back door. It was all hey this is going to be great, this is going to be great but what it and it was.
CS	Don't tell me greed.
RC	No, it wasn't.
CS	No. It wasn't greed?
RC	It was just human nature. Our personalities.
CS	Uh.
RC	I mean, you know I mean you guys been married but you know that's a love relationship and everybody goes in thinking it's going to last and then boom.
CS	There you go.
RC	Something happens and you go oh. So, um concerned. You know I've got considerations about even having investors [UI] people. I really do. I'm, my, it's it's gotta be so right for me. I'm kind of a control freak, you understand. You know, you probably are in your life to keep it going and you want to drive and so do I. So having the business relationship is a very special thing. I haven't allowed it to happen yet. It's got to be really good. It's got to benefit the Ministry. I don't just sit here and go dollar signs in my eyes to be honest with you. It's like how do I help people. Do I send everybody out of here with a smile. It's not like how full did my hat get today. I mean, I want, I need donation to keep going and thank god I'm just in the positive these days. Uh, anyway, you know that's just my honesty and [UI, UC and RC talks simultaneously] if you want to play and be be part of this thing man, it would be great.

Participant	Translation
UC	Yeah and uh, like I said. I was really, I was really interested in that, you know maybe I can help you out with the the greenhouse thing and the warehouse because to me I'll have something in return, you know what I'm saying. And I want to help you out and I'm not greedy. I've, you know. Times are good.
RC	And maybe meals.
UC	Exactly, and uh I got some friends that you know I do some things with and things like that. I help them out. Uh, you know [UI] move stuff around for them whatever. Everything is you know hush hush. That's why I'm a very behind the scenes kind of guy. Um, I don't go out there and [UI] or like that [UI], but I make things happen. People that I've been around with a lot and uh and you know I make other people money pretty much you know and uh I do some concealment for them and things like that and things like that. So, uh it could back in the day when I was doing the business where I saw how things operated and I know [UI]. [UI, background noise]. You know how it is. I'm a behind the scenes guy [UI]. If you look at every operation, organization, whatever, the guy with [UI].
	[UI, background noise]
RC	I totally respect that.
UC	And uh, and that's how it is. But like I said, if there's there's something that I could help you with you know.
RC	There definitely is.
UC	Yeah. We don't have to talk about it now you know. I'm going, I'm going to go back to Honolulu and I'm going to head back home probably in a couple days. I'm probably be back in maybe couple of weeks and uh I can be in contact with you or whatever. We can talk.
RC	Let's uh, I've been talking a lot here, why don't you tell me about your you know what do what do you picture here. What, what part would you like.
UC	Well like I said, uh well he mentioned something and I did too. The hemp store, I mean how do you feel about that. I mean.
RC	That's good. I love being around the stuff.
	[UI] CS and RC talks simultaneously.

Participant	Translation
RC	He saw a story in the newspaper while I was in Colorado that mentioned a medical marijuana doctor getting investigated by the police and he has had a heart attack, this guy, in the past so he needs to reduce his stress. That that stress [UI] doctor so he gave me a check for one month rent and sorry I can't do it.
UC	Oh really?
RC	Thank you very much.
CS	Wow.
RC	So I'm thinking.
UC	Was he a healing doctor or what?
RC	He is a M.D.
UC	Oh, ok.
RC	He went to write medical marijuana so another doctor had going talk to me about it. So whether they do or they don't.
	[UI] CS and RC talks simultaneously.
CS	This could be right here too. I mean
RC	We don't need a doctor but we have a replace right next door here for rent right now which would be a very nice little space. Its got a kitchen, its got a bedroom, it's a great little retail space. Its right here in the hallway.
UC	[UI] clothing stuff like that or.
RC	Its ministry gear.
UC	Yeah.
RC	[UI] wear.
UC	Right.
RC	Ministry gear. Stuff that's got our logo on it. You know that would be cool. How to grow books that kind of stuff. [UI] that kind of store here. On the second floor, people usually don't do retail on the second floor.
UC	Yeah.
RC	You usually don't walk up [UI. UC and RC talks simultaneously] stairs to go shopping.
UC	Right.

Participant	Translation
RC	You know. Um, but because we're going to have the whole front of the building, that could be a nice little addition. You know, uh fortunately we have security now of this little door so the whole front of the building, you know back of the building can do whatever it does. Massage, bookkeeping, whatever they do back there. But there is a potential of having mail order and having a little shop right here. It's it's a sweet little space with rents really reasonable that needs fix up and that would that would be uh commerce [UI] ministry so we can get you know little more commerce going and.
CS	That's what you're thinking about?
RC	Yeah, it's a possibility. It's it's open and available. This is the big, this is the big mental crack, getting people the medicine. That's really the big goal is to complete the move with the greenhouse and uh the warehouse next to it.
CS	That's what I was thinking.
RC	That's the big deal.
UC	What's, what's holding you up right now.
RC	Money.
UC	Ok. How much?
RC	Um, it's a good question. I don't know.
UC	Well, you don't have to tell me.
RC	Real estate is sinking in here right now, so it's getting a little easier. There's, there's a great old warehouse for sale across the street. You know where the little laundry mat is?
CS	Uh huh, uh huh.
RC	The laundry mat in the [UI].
CS	Oh, you're kidding me.
RC	Is fallen down. It's a great big warehouse. Um.
UC	What about, what about renting property?
RC	That's available as long as the landlord is good with it. It's got to be good to the landlord. But it's, it's a righteous thing. Like uh, you know some landlords they know you how good cannabis is and they they had cancer and.
UC	That's what I'm saying. They don't know anybody, maybe renting some property that's in the Ministry or maybe a friend or something like that. That way we don't have to worry about it. You know, I'm just.
CS	True. True.

Participant	Translation
RC	We're brain busting.
UC	Yeah.
RC	You know, just just seeing what's out there. That's, that's a
	possibility.
UC	Yeah, um I hear you know one of your neighbors saying that you
	want to get more product to the Ministry and like I said you need
	a co-op or some kind of. I mean you have people that can do this
	stuff for you or will they be able to manage it and thing s like
	that.
RC	No. Not yet.
UC	Oh, ok.
RC	But people volunteer. They've asked me all the time, you know
	throughout say hey you got something going, I'll be happy to
	help you.
UC	Ok.
RC	So some really good people have to say.
UC	Good people that you [UI. CS and UC talks simultaneously].
RC	Yeah, I'm fifty nine now, you know if I was thirty nine going
	thought the learning curve, we're always learning but fortunately
	I've been around the block a few times, had enough of experiences pluses and minuses to be where I'm at today, where
	I feel good about life plans in the loom and you know we help
	people everyday um.
CS	Yeah but you know, uh the black market uh. Trust me if you can
CS .	get out of that, that would save you.
RC	The cops me wants me out of it and the Ministry wants me out of
, Re	it. Everybody wants me out of it. It's too high [UI].
UC	The guys you're getting from, they're not from the Ministry,
	they're just.
RC	No. They're making money.
UC	I mean, be careful of those guys you know.
RC	It's a money thing. So it's, it's, it's on the edge here, I mean
	we're grateful that it's going you know everyday that it does.
CS	You think you could do something like that without no hassles?
RC	Um.
CS	But nice, like how this what you showed [UI] that that their
	aspirin gave so much uh.
RC	Just like we have this is going on so nice with the cops, we can
	have the grow thing going on so nice with the cops.

Participant	Translation
CS	You think so it's possible, huh?
RC	That matter of fact it's the righteous way to go. They don't want me to get it from the black market. They want me to get the money for the greenhouse. I told the prosecutor our greenhouse is coming and he goes that's the righteous way. That pulls you out of the black market.
CS	With your license and all.
UC	And that, like you said they're waiting for somebody. Somebody [UI] moved here, when was that?
RC	2004.
UC	That was four years old.
RC	You know how many people have died or suffered without cannabis. That's what I'm saying. It's tragic.
CS	It's very true.
RC	People would come to me you know [UI]. I go to Vegas, let me gamble on you. You know it was a great investment. You know.
UC	I'd be interested in that. I'd be interested in that. But like I said, I'll go home and I'll talk to them, I'll call you and let you know what [UI] think and stuff like that. The thing is I want to make sure is that, I trust you getting the right people, getting the right people and people you trust. You know what I'm saying because we need people like you said that has some good IQs. I don't care how book smart people are, doesn't make any sense to me whatsoever you know that. [UI] that don't mean shit. Common sense is a common denominator in everything.
RC	[UI]
UC	Exactly, and I've been around the block enough to know where I've been around some people that have these PHDs. I call them [UI] people right. Put them out in the street and.
RC	They can't handle it.
UC	Exactly. And I just want to make sure that if we did do something like this, you'll have a lot of people. That's all, you know. Like I said we can talk about that down the road and stuff but uh, like I said I talked to him about while with last time you know the greenhouse thing. I mean especially with this man [UI].
RC	It'll be covered up five times in six months time. It'll be the talk of the freaking town. It'll be righteous. It'll be.

Participant	Translation
UC	The only thing is, like I said the only thing we got to be careful about, I mean your renting this right so you understand. When you buy something, it'll bring up a whole can of worms. But when you rent something from somebody, it's, you know what I'm saying. It's a lot different. Nothing can seized, nothing can be messed with or anything like that. That's why I think it's important. People find somebody that works with you or knows you and knows what you're all about. And I think it'll be a little bit easier, that way I can fund that [UI]. You know buying something, especially in the market right now is, I mean is a buyers market.
RC	It keeps going down.
	[UI. UC and RC talks simultaneously].
UC	Exactly, and it could be even worse. You know, cause I mean, god the way the economy is right now. Obama, McCain literally becomes the Presidents, we're going to be in the shit hole for the next ten years at least cause nobody is going to know where their coming from, where to put their money and things like that so we're going to be in a shit hole for two years. So that's why I've been telling people, property as far as commercial you know, get away from it because you don't know. You got United Airlines, hundred pilots going out. They're cutting down the fleet by a hundred. I'm sorry, hundred pilots, hundred pilots and their cutting down like a hundred spots. It's coming.
RC	We've lost two airlines in a week.
UC	Oh yeah.
RC	Aloha and Go is on the verge of bankruptcy. Their on the verge of bankruptcy. That'll only leave us one. And half the cruise ships, and there are hardly any cruise ships anymore. January first, it cut like sixty percent, ended. I got friends with vans and they and they said they go to cruise ship you know for a taxi tours and all the taxi guys are looking at each other.
CS	[UI]
RC	It's already sinking man. It's sinked a lot.
UC	It's commercially, it's it's a tough time but you know residential property stuff like that, that's a good thing.
RC	That's why we say, what's the solution, Ganjanomics [Phonetic].
UC	You didn't give me that. I want this.
RC	Ganjanomics.
UC	I forgot to.

Participant	Translation
CS	But you two guys are the two smartest business mans that ever came across. [UI. CS and UC talks simultaneously]. In my life, you two guys are the meanest man. You guys.
RC	Ganjanomics man.
CS	That's right.
RC	Was there anyway you can help us today?
UC	Can you help me today?
RC	Yeah. What do you, what do you need?
UC	Um, you talked to him about.
CS	Yeah, the pound.
UC	The pound.
CS	You got a.
RC	I got a pound. Now here's my considerations of pound ok. Pounds come, it's pretty slow [UI. Background noise]. I light two pounds a week. I got, I got one more pound. You know, I got, I got one more pound. And uh, I made the value. If all things go right, I'd make a thousand bucks on half a pound.
UC	Uh, uh.
RC	So I can make two thousand bucks on a pound. That, that gets medicine to people and feeds the Ministry here.
UC	So you're making two thousand a pound. Was that someone next door? [UI].
RC	So I help people everyday.
UC	Right.
RC	You know.
CS	That was downstairs. I felt the vibrations.
	[UI. Background noise].
RC	So you're going to be open for business here in about fifteen minutes.
RC	Um, so you know I, I could make it happen. I would be able to get you a half a pound or get you a pound right now. Um, but I don't know any, any better or you know I don't even want to cut you a good deal because you're a money guy and you don't need money. I need money you know and so, it doesn't make sense for me to cut you a deal.

Participant	Translation
UC	Oh yeah, I understand, I understand that. I want you to make
	your. I understand. I have no problem with that. At the same
	time, what you get me, I can make, I can make back in Honolulu
	with my friends and stuff like that. You know what I'm saying.
	So.
CS	Vice a versa.
UC	Yeah, I.
RC	I've never sold a pound or half a pound to anybody. I don't sell,
	it's donations, people.
UC	That's what I'm saying, we can talk about donations. We don't
	have to talk about that.
RC	But if you want to donate to the Ministry. I got, I got a half a
	pound for you.
UC	Ok.
RC	It'll be right here. It's absolutely primo. It's uh
UC	Are you thinking about what three.
RC	Um, lets see. What, what I got to pay back on it is is twenty one
	hundred bucks. Ok, so I really make a grand on it.
UC	I'll give you three. How's that?
RC	So you'll give me three grand.
UC	Give you three grand for half a pound.
RC	I'll make nine hundred bucks. That's a little bit less than I'm
	making if I do it on my own. Can you make a little sweeter than
	that?
UC	I can make it sweeter next time.
RC	Because.
UC	That's what I'm saying.
RC	I don't know that your guy that you got money. So by getting me
	that, I can make it happen.
	[UI. UC and RC talks simultaneously].
UC	I'm not gonna threat over hundred dollar you know what I'm
	saying but what I'm telling you is, what I'm asking you is, if,
	here is the thing, that's why I'm going to start talking to you.
	[UI]. Cause you tell me what to bring for a full and I can bring a
	full. You know what I'm saying. Cause I'm being [UI] for it in
	Honolulu. Here is the other thing too though, you know this, I
1	don't like traveling with the money on airlines cause that's just
	opening up a whole can of worms.
RC	No kidding. You're at the plane.

Participant	Translation
UC	Well that's, yeah well that's that.
RC	You know [UI].
UC	That's to get it over there. Ok, so I brought with me five for a
	full but that's not going to cut it but so you give me what you can
	for five, how's that. And you make a thousand or whatever. Is
	that fair or you make your fifteen or whatever.
RC	I got a half a pound that's that's for you.
UC	Ok. I'll give you thirty one. How's that? That way you'll get
	your thousand.
RC	Yeah.
UC	I think that's fair and I want you to really. No go ahead, I'm
	sorry.
RC	Well, well, ok. Yeah, I can make that happen.
UC	Ok. If I'm putting out brother let me know [UI]. You know what
	I'm saying. The money that I can get back is gonna help you
	[UI]. I'm just gonna turn it around and give it back to you the
	next time. You know what I'm saying.
RC	My supply is not bad.
UC	Ok.
RC	I can't just say give me an extra two pounds.
	[UI. CS, UC, and RC talks simultaneously].
RC	We need the greenhouse supply.
UC	That's fine.
RC	And and even the cops are alright with having it.
UC	Oh really?
RC	Yeah. Totally gonna let us have it.
UC	Like I said, that's what I'm interested in. If you can make that
	thing happen, I'll, I can make things happen ok. But I'm going to
	go back home. I'm going to chill out for a while uh and I'm
	going to come back [UI. Background noise].
	[UI. UC and RC talks simultaneously].
UC	You got, lets make it happen. [UI. UC and RC talks
	simultaneously]. This guys a pain in the ass.
CS	[UI].
UC	You coming? You coming? Roger is ready to go. I'm like, chill
	out I'm coming. Relax.
CS	Yeah. Yeah. And uh.
UC	But like I said, I just you know, just get that brain of yours going
	and uh when I get back we can talk about it.

Participant	Translation
RC	Well, I'm, I'm always looking for people to help the Ministry.
UC	Right.
RC	Ok. To help the Ministry because you want to help the Ministry. There's two different things going on here. There's money making and there's helping the Ministry and you know we sit here doing a lot of good everyday for people and very few people help the Ministry and lay the money down here and keeps us going.
CS	That you always can say. Always been telling him that that's the key.
RC	And we're stopping helicopters here, we're doing a big freaking job here. So this is what I got here right now.
UC	Is that the same [UI] from last time.
CS	Sure smells great.
RC	Yes.
CS	Wow.
UC	Because my, I told you my buddies like this.
CS	I know, I know.
RC	This is a cannabis top quality, I think.
CS	Wow, you can just, you know this smells good.
RC	It goes with the turkey roasted bag, so.
UC	Ok.
RC	I wrapped it up so it doesn't smell.
CS	[UI]. It's possible, it's possible to get this greenhouse and get away from that. It's, it's I think it's really possible.
UC	Yeah. I want you to get away from it.
CS	That black market crap. You're losing out there, to me.
RC	Yeah. Yeah. It's like giddyyup [Phonetic]. I'm sure the cops are going, where the freak is your greenhouse. We got you, we gave you the permission.
Uc	What are they charging you for that?
Rc	Twenty one hundred.
Uc	They're charging twenty one for this. So, roughly what's a pound gonna be? Forty five?
Rc	Forty two.
Uc	Forty two. Hell, [UI] ok. You know, I'm talking about for them. They're charging you forty two?
Re	They're charging me forty two. They get forty four from other people, forty eight on Maui, and five grand on Oahu.

Participant	Translation
Cs	Oh yeah they can, they can way up too yeah.
Uc	These people are going state line?
Re	[UI]. They rather be home. And, and they're not as solid. I mean
	they, they could disappear tomorrow, today.
Cs	Yeah. Yeah. That's the thought. So, if was to get a green, what,
	can you be safer?
Rc	Yeah.
Cs	I think it would be better off than the black market.
Rc	GW Pharmaceuticals, he's got forty thousand plants. It's safe.
	He makes it safe. You need to hire Navy Seals, you hire Navy
	Seals. That's [UI].
Cs	He likes that idea. You know.
Rc	Do whatever it takes to cover you know.
	[UI. CS and RC talks simultaneously].
Rc	Banks on the every corner, you know.
Uc	What's up brother.
Cs	Something to think about uh.
Uc	I, I just want to stay away from that. I mean if he [UI] we're
	good to go.
Cs	Yeah. Roger. It's true. But it's true.
Uc	[UI]. We got to go in a minute. I want to get out of [UI]
Rc	[UI]. Um, this is a basic [UI] ok. So this is, this is just what I'll
	be making for the Ministry.
Uc	Roger I trust you. Don't worry about it. I trust you ok. Like I
	said, I'm, you know he told me about you while ago and it's
	something [UI]. That's all and.
Rc	I mean, uh, you'd doing you know three or four of those a day.
Uc	I agree. Lets do it. But like I said, just get people [UI]. Like I
	said, these black market people, don't get me wrong, there out
	there. It's going to happen but you know get some people that
	you know that know what they're doing and [UI].
Rc	This, this person I know, actually I got a ten year history with,
	he's covered by my Ministry but his you know most of his his
TT.	dealings are not Ministry dealings.
Uc	Oh, he belongs to your Ministry.
Re	He belongs to the Ministry.
Uc	Ok, well that's.
Rc	I've never been in his place and he don't want me there. I don't
	want to go there.

Participant	Translation
Uc	What does he do? Does he bring it here?
Rc	It's on island.
Uc	No, he brings it to you?
Rc	Yeah.
Uc	Ok. Does he, who knows what the guy is doing. I mean if you trust him that's great but.
Re	He's got a risky life style. Not as solid as I am.
Uc	That's what I'm saying. [UI. CS and UC talks simultaneously] he doesn't bring it here, does he?
RC	No.
UC	Oh ok. Cause I'm saying you probably don't want some of these guys [UI].
Rc	Sure.
Cs	You got to be careful.
Rc	Turkey roasted bags man. Cut that smell down.
Uc	Ok.
Rc	You know that right.
Uc	Yeah. Oh yeah. I uh got a friend over here [UI]
Rc	Cause I'm not, I'm not known as a dealer on this island. I'm
	known as a minister and I'm going to keep it that way.
Uc	Do you know anybody from England?
Rc	Possibly. You know for what?
Uc	I mean, doing business maybe [UI], you know.
Rc	Well, you know one of the things that that is totally righteous for the Ministry to do is to mail order [UI].
Uc	That's what I'm saying.
Rc	People mail order, mail order pharmaceuticals all day long.
Uc	If their, if their ministry [UI] ministry to me.
Rc	That's what people really feel [UI]. One, it's got to come from a
	place.
Uc	I don't think it has to be a foreign country.
Rc	I was thinking [UI. Background noise]. I saw these guys on the TV in Afghanistan, you know growing herb and I mean their selling a dollar a pound. Their selling, oh shit. I wonder if the Ministry is so, if we're so tight that we could do even national, make a deal with.
Cs	[UI]
Uc	That's what I'm talking about. Amsterdam people and Virgin Islands we got.

Participant	Translation
Re	I'm telling you, this is really. We're in the cool position [UI]
	really big time. We're already a global Ministry. We've got,
	we've got members in 60 countries.
Uc	My understanding is, like I said, take the Ministry to [UI]. You
	said you don't know all these people are signed up. [UI], you
	know what I'm saying.
rc	See, now one thing I do need that you could help. One thing that
	I do need here. We need an ID card maker. It's two grand. Ok.
	We need an ID card maker for the Ministry so we make, instead
	of our ID card.
Cs	[UI]
Rc	Instead of our ID cards now, which are like this.
Uc	Uh, uh.
Rc	The ID card is gonna be like a credit card with a hologram. It's
	gonna have a digital photo on it.
Uc	Oh, ok. Cool.
Rc	When you [UI] copy it's gonna look like a fucking Secret
	Service ID, a member of Congress. You know what I mean. You
	want to help the Ministry out?
Uc	I'm going to help you, I'm going to help you.
Rc	We need two grand for an ID card maker.
Uc	And I'm going to help you get that [UI]. Ok. Alright then I'm
	going to come back in couple of weeks but I want that [UI] that
	your doing. The other thing too, what about what about the
	seeds. What about these people [UI] seeds and stuff like that.
Rc	The seeds, the supply needs to happen.
Uc	Yeah.
Re	You know, I mean get a little seeds.
Uc	What I'm saying, we're talking about sending bucket or
	anything, things like that. I've got, I've got connections. Ok, but
	I can make thing take care [UI. Background noise]. Uh, like I
	said, get that thing going. I mean this is your [UI] you know
	what I'm saying.
Rc	Beautiful thing. I love it. I care for it. It's my baby. I don't have
T.	kids. This is my baby.
Uc	This is your thing, so I can help you with things like that. Lets
	lets take it back [UI]. You know, I came to you with the two
	hundred fifty dollar [CS interrupts and states "he deserves it"]
	registration fee. [UI]

Participant	Translation
Rc	Everybody that gets that book wants to get a, they want
	something in that package.
Uc	Lets do it. Lets do it. Like I said I've got I've got some
	connection to some [UI] that can maybe make it happen and
	things like that. That I can pick up boxes and so to speak and we
	can make things happen.
Rc	We can see, the righteous thing is that the people that are in the
	chain become members of the [UI]. So any pieces of chain gets
	challenged.
Cs	There you go.
Rc	They got their ID card and see what happens is now anybody in
	the Ministry that gets challenged in the USA, when the cops look
	at the legitimacy they come back to me and my license and it's
	real. And we're we're registered in the Department of
	Commerce.
Uc	That's what I'm saying. These people are registered in the THC
	Ministry. Then that's that's a real deal. You know what I'm
	saying. But you know. How many members do you have worldwide?
Rc	Sixty two thousand lined up.
Uc	But you have a running tab of them or.
Rc	We've got about uh.
Ue	To reach out to em and say hey we can get start getting things to
	you or whatever, you know. I'm saying man, just.
Re	Yep.
Uc	Just get that thing going.
Rc	I've got their email addresses.
Uc	Do you have a cell number or is the best number?
Rc	I do.
Uc	Ok.
Rc	I just got one. Just got one the other day.
Uc	Or do you want me to call you here or what?
Rc	Uh, you can call me on this.
Uc	Cause I'm tired of dealing with this guy [laughter in the
	background]. I'm like Steven, I'm six hours away from you ok.
	It's two o'clock in the morning for me.
Rc	80839511.

Participant	Translation
Cs	It's alright, I knew what I told you to. You going to end up
	hooking up with him and you guys are the business man. I told
	him.
Rc	You put it together.
Uc	Yeah. You brought us together and stuff like that so.
Cs	I did the way you guys, you guys are the smart business man. I
	know man. I tell you.
Uc	I'm gonna, I'm gonna call you before I get back to Honolulu and
	just see [UI] of things and I'm going to call you when I get back
	home in couple weeks. Uh, I'm going to try to come over some
	time maybe like late July, check out some things in Honolulu but
	uh. So, I'm going to be in touch with you ok. I want that, I want
	you bring [UI. Background noise]. Get it going, I mean you can
	[UI. Background noise].
Rc	It's rocking.
Uc	I mean shit, you shut down the helicopters bro. You did that.
	You and some counsel people but I mean that was all your thing.
Rc	[UI. Loud noise].
Cs	Hey, let me tell you.
	[UI. CS, UC, and RC talking together]
Uc	I will be in touch.
Rc	Yeah. Have a good one. Let me walk [UI].
Uc	Can I say goodbye to her?
Rc	Sure.
uc	Very nice to meet you, have a good day.
Unknown female	All right, have a good [UI. Background noise and multiple
	voices].
uc	How you doing?
Unknown Male	Good, good.
Unknown Male	Hey Geraldo [PH].
Re	Hey guys.
Uc	Take care Rog.
	END OF RECORDING

TRANSCRIPTION

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Target number:

(808) 443-3616

Target Name:

Roger Christie Title

Call number:

1475

Direction of call:

Incoming

Date:

Thursday, July 23, 2009

Time:

12:17:18

Dialed Digits:

(808) 775-0949

Subscriber

No subs

Language:

English

Transcribed by:

M.Jones

Revised by:

ROGER Christie

Participants:

SUZANNE Friend [Friendly Aquaponics]

Legend:

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PARTICIPANT	TRANSLATION
	[Beginning of call]
ROGER	Aloha! It's Rog.
SUZANNE	Hey, Roger. It's Suzanne.
ROGER	Hey! Hi, there.
SUZANNE	I'm good. I'm good, I, well I need a nap but I am good. [Laughing]
ROGER	Okay. You got a minute to talk here?
	[Speaks to someone in the background]
	Wally?
	[To Suzanne]
CHIZANINI	Take a breath for a minute. Are you okay?
SUZANNE	Yeah, I'm good. Arnoud and Greta [PH] just left.
ROGER	[Speaking to someone in the background]
	Sit here. It's gonna lead to happiness for both of us. [Speaking to Suzanne]
	Suzanne!
SUZANNE	Uh-huh.
ROGER	Okay. Ah, I got a thought. Oh, how are you today?
SUZANNE	I'm good how are you?
ROGER	Great! I'm good, I'm good. I've got a thought that you know? The
	plan all along was "that" was, "that" was for the ministry.
SUZANNE	Yeah.
ROGER	Okay, they took ministry "stuff" and I would like it. I still want it.
SUZANNE	Okay.
ROGER	Okay. And 24 hours later it's still in good enough shape.
SUZANNE	Right.
ROGER	Now, I have; I had a friendly experience with a Federal Judge and a
	Federal Magistrate in Honolulu. Years ago. I think I told you this.
	The judge took off her robe and had the chat with me.
SUZANNE	Yeah
ROGER	All that stuff. Okay. So we need our You know? If you are into
	it? Umm Michael Glen that Lawyer, who had bad manners then
	and hopefully, has better manners now, filed a lawsuit yesterday.
	Um, I want your permission; You and Tim to call Michael and see if he could get a court order to get the "Stuff" back.
SUZANNE	Okay.
ROGER	To make, to make things right.
SUZANNE	Do you really think that could happen?
ROGER	Well, because I've always considered it that if it was my farm, they
	wouldn't do that because I have my license. Now the agreement
	was, you were growing for me.

SUZANNE	Right.
ROGER	That was, that's my "stuff" you were just tending it.
SUZANNE	Right. Exactly and I told them that.
ROGER	Yes. Good! Fantastic! Well then I would like to at least pursue the
	possibility of immediately today
SUZANNE	Okay, go. Go for it.
ROGER	Getting something rolling to get the "stuff" back and make
	things right.
SUZANNE	Okay. Do you think there is any possibility that this could go the
	other way? That they may say; "okay, if you're gonna make
	trouble, now we are gonna charge you?"
ROGER	Um
SUZANNE	I don't think so.
ROGER	I don't know. I don't have that happen in my life anymore. I used
	to have that but now when I communicate with good manners and
SUZANNE	that, I don't know I just get I, I feel that way too. Go for it. Lets see what he says.
ROGER	So
SUZANNE	At least, at least run it past him.
ROGER	Pardon me?
SUZANNE	
ROGER	At least run it past him.
RUGER	Yeah, you know? It's, it's a signature from a Federal Judge and that stuff goes back.
SUZANNE	Okay.
ROGER	And you get back in the biz you know? In, in the mode.
I KO GEA	Everything is returned. You turn the lights on and it goes back and
	it never happens again. That's what I sued for in 2004, that's what
	we sued for yesterday, so that would never happen again. Now here
	it's happened. It's in my face. It was the new moon solar eclipse,
	your birthday. I mean, wow! That's a memory breaker in my
	brain. In all of our brains and I don't know. At least it would be
	ridiculous for me not to do it.
SUZANNE	Okay. Ah do me a favor and give me 5 minutes to run this by Tim.
	I'm gonna call him back. Ah, um, I think at the very least it's worth
	a con, conversation with Michael Glen, but I'd hate to have you
	have that conversation before you have a go ahead from us. So let me get you the go ahead, let me talk to Tim. I'm actually ready to
	give you the go ahead but I think it would be disrespectful of Tim
	to not talk to him.
ROGER	Absolutely. Absolutely.
SUZANNE	So let me, let me run it by him and I'll call you right back.
ROGER	Thank you.

	[End of call].
ROGER	Bye, bye.
SUZANNE	Okay, bye.
ROGER	I appreciate it.
SUZANNE	Okay.

TRANSCRIPTION

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Target number: 808.443.3616

Target Name: Roger Christie Title III

Call number: 1483
Direction of call: Outgoing

Date: Thursday, July 23, 2009

Time: 19:47:15 Dialed Digits: 7757745 Subscriber Unknown

Alarmed No Minimized: No

Minimized By User ID:

Language: Unknown Transcribed by: D.Pegeder

Revised by:

Participants: From: CHRISTIE, Roger; To: MANN, Tim

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Participant	Translation
	BEGINNING OF CONVERSATION
Roger CHRISTIE	Catch you at a good moment?
Tim MANN	Oh yeah yeah no problem I'm I've quit for the day and I was actually just sittin' down to have a little salad here. What's up?
CHRISTIE	Oh okay. Quick call.
MANN	Yeah Suzanne's off in Kona she's doing a Costco run. Uh got all the kids and everybody else with her.
CHRISTIE	Yeah I talked to her briefly earlier, you know about that right?
MANN	Yeah yeah it sounded really interesting possibilities.
CHRISTIE	Okay, so I'm thinking super positive, I'm looking for the blessing in here for you guys and for me. And so I thought you know I made the copy of the agent's card, and I looked him up on the internet, he's the number one DEA cannabis agent in Hawaii for about 6 years going.
MANN	Okay.
CHRISTIE	Guaranteed he's knows THC ministry just guaranteed, got to.
MANN	[LAUGHS]
CHRISTIE	He's got to.
MANN	Yeah.
CHRISTIE	Just absolutely has to, but anyway regardless, I thought hey, coming from who I am and what I've been up to for years, I thought hey I've got this guys card I've even got his cell phone number. I called it.
MANN	Okay.
CHRISTIE	I call I first I called the lawyer, that didn't work, he he he just you I'd left a message. And uh, I thought "geeze" what does it take to get this stuff back, and to get you guys repaired to where you were the day before. And uh so I was thinking it's a court order and I have a friend who's a Federal Judge and another who's a Federal Magistrate, not a friend but an acquaintance, people I've met in the past. And I thought, I I don't know I don't know what signature it takes to get this back, make right but, they wouldn't they haven't messed with the ministry all these years because there's somethin' special about the ministry that keeps them away.
MANN	Okay.
CHRISTIE	Well I've always thought if the same would keep them away from my garden. And in this instance my garden is your garden.
MANN	Okay.

CHRISTIE	So I thought hey, what would I do? What would anybody with a brain do
	with an incident, if an an incident like this has happened that I think
	was a mistake on their part? I would call the top guy and just man to
	man say hey, this is me calling, and uh let's talk about it. So I did that, I
	left a message at uh DEA headquarters in Honolulu and I left a message
751777	on Randy Wagner, I think it is, his private cell
MANN	Yeah that's it, Randy Wagner.
CHRISTIE	Uh his private cell phone. And I said this is Roger Christie THC
	ministry. I you left your card at some friends of mine house yesterday
	and uh I'd like you to I'd like for you to call me back so we can talk
D. F. A. DYDY	about it. And I left my number and wished him well and uh
MANN	Wow.
CHRISTIE	That was that.
MANN	Interestinger and interestinger.
CHRISTIE	Yeah so, I'm gonna head on you know like I talked to the DEA agent
	many years ago when I was suing his boss, and uh my lawyer had bad
	manners and I called him and apologized and, it was just so man to man,
	and I thought let me handle this man to man.
MANN	Uh did was this the fella you talked to that many years ago?
CHRISTIE	No.
MANN	Different person okay.
CHRISTIE	Yeah, somebody different. And uh, but I've gotten a little sense more of
	how the adrenalin junkie and these guys works and how they go after
	people that you know have bad manners and are smart asses.
MANN	Oh yeah.
CHRISTIE	You know gives the finger to the government and stuff like that. I'm
	I'm
MANN	You know in their own way Roger they're trying to make the world a
	better place.
CHRISTIE	I got that, and
MANN	You know?
CHRISTIE	And I respect that I really do. And it's up to the
MANN	[UI]
CHRISTIE	It's up to the state, yeah they didn't create the message, they just, they're
	just a a worker bee.
MANN	Exactly.
CHRISTIE	The citizen has more power cause we get to shape policy. And and
	we certainly have here on the Big Island so I'm proud of it, I'm proud of
	who I am, what I do, how long I've done it, and I just put in a call you
	know man to man to 'em, and I wanted to let you know where the status
	is.
MANN	Okay.

CHRISTIE MANN CHRISTIE	Before the before the sun went down on day one, that I knew about it, you know I was puttin' um in double calls to this guy to his office and to his personal phone so, I'm gonna keep pursuing it on that basis. Rather than, look for a judge look for an order. You know if he you know I'm gonna ask him straight out what's it take to get everything back? Wow.
CHRISTIE	And just tell me what's it take to get this back. Oh you know it's it's a perishable it's a sacrament it's probably in okay shape you know one day later.
MANN	Yeah exactly.
CHRISTIE	It may it it may be it may be curing for all we know [LAUGHING]. You know? I don't know maybe it's good for it to be in a box, I don't know. But uh, I'd like it returned to you guys so it can be you know, [UI] can go back into the the stream of the ministry uh situation here.
MANN	Well it'll be interesting to see what you come up with there Roger.
CHRISTIE	[LAUGHING] [UI] so, I I promise to keep you in the loop and thank you for keeping me in the loop on your end.
MANN	Okey doke.
CHRISTIE	[LAUGHING] Okay buddy. We're pra
MANN	Okay we'll see ya, I'll tell Suzanne when she gets home.
CHRISTIE	Okay and you're welcome to call me I'll be up late, you're welcome to call me and ask me anything more.
MANN	Okay if we hear anything from Mr. Wagner we certainly will.
CHRISTIE	Great, thank Tim.
MANN	Thanks again take care. Give my love to Share.
CHRISTIE	Will do, aloha.
MANN	Aloha.
CHRISTIE	Aloha.
	[End of recording]